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I would strongly like to state my opinion that this proposed law to force Mainers to be required to purchase Electric vehicles is a terrible idea from many perspectives ! its government overreach and makes no practical sense in a cold and rural state like Maine. It would force people like myself to leave Maine !! Stephen Austin

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